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**REPLY/AMENDMENT
FEE TRANSMITTAL**

		Attorney Docket No.	826.1517	
		Application Number	09/189,410	
		Filing Date	November 10, 1998	
		First Named Inventor	Minoru KURIKI, et al.	
		Group Art Unit	2157	
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	0.00	Examiner Name	A. Caldwell	

FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 01/01/03)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	28	- 28 =	0	X \$ 18.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	9	- 9 =	0	X \$ 84.00 =	0.00
Since an Official Action set an original due date of March 11, 2003, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$410); 3 months (\$930); 4 months (\$1,450); 5 months (\$1,970)): _____					
If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$320) _____					
If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110) _____					
Total of above Calculations = \$ 0.00					
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28) _____					
TOTAL FEES DUE = \$ 0.00					
(1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0". (2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20". (4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0". (5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".					

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<input type="checkbox"/> Check enclosed as payment. <input type="checkbox"/> Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No payment is enclosed and no charges to the Deposit Account are authorized at this time (unless specifically required to obtain a filing date).			
GENERAL AUTHORIZATION			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to: Deposit Account No. 19-3935 Deposit Account Name STAAS & HALSEY LLP			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.			
SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP			
Typed Name	James T. Strom	Reg. No.	48,702
Signature	<i>James T. Strom</i>	Date	11 March 2003